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RE: 09/898,686

Dear Mr. Lastra:

The meeting on May 25, 2005 produced the opportunity of clearly defining the claims with productivity gains and amending the claims. Mr. James Myhre provided me with a two procedural directions.

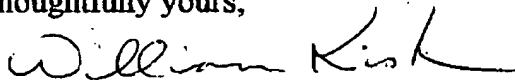
It was suggested to me to move directly to the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) where the RCE is the best course of action with my claims and the application timeframe. I have decided to do this and I stated my intention within my last voicemails to you. The RCE and the Amended Claims with Related Art have been mailed and FAX to you at 517 273-6720.

My response, a check of \$395.00 and the Transmittal are within the three-month guideline. The Inventor Assistance Center have been helpful.

Once the RCE has been routed to you and you begin the searches, I am requesting a brief office conference where any issues can be address with me prior to the work and energy, you will extend.

It has been a difficult few weeks for me with family health issues. I trust all is well with you.

Thoughtfully yours,



William Kish